## Before the **Federal Communications Commission** Washington, DC 20554

In the Matter of	)	
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Petition for Waiver of	)	
FCC Form 471 Filing Deadline	)	
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LONEMAN DAY SCHOOL	)	CC Docket No. 02-6
Bureau of Indian Education School BEN 66553	)	
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Schools and Libraries Universal Service	)	
Support Mechanism	)	

## **Petition for Waiver of** FCC Form 471 Filing Deadline for Funding Year 2017

RE: FCC Form 471 # 171048905 and 171048907

## I. INTRODUCTION AND SUMMARY

The Loneman Day School ("Bureau of Indian Education") serves low income prekindergarten through Grade 8 Native American children residing on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation in Oglala Lakota County. This county is recognized as one of the poorest rural counties in the United States. For years now we have relied upon the FCC E-rate program and as an integral part of our educational technology program.

The Loneman Day School submitted and certified their Funding Year 2017 FCC Forms 471, 171048905 and 171048907 using the Schools and Libraries Division EPC Portal on May 14, 2017 just 3 days after the FCC Form 471 filing deadline of the 2017 Funding Year. Unfortunately, we were under the impression that the filing deadline was on June 11, 2017;

apparently, we were given the wrong information. Our filing person was not available and did not find out until he prepared our Form 471 on May 14, 2017.

## II. Request

The Loneman Day School respectfully petitions the Commission to request a waiver of the Funding Year 2017 FCC Form 471 filing deadline on behalf of the Bureau of Indian Education to allow the Out of Window submission of their E-Rate Funding Year 2017 FCC Forms 471 171048905 and 171048907, due to our circumstance. Having to fund our Internet Bandwidth and other discounts on our own would financially cripple the school and we greatly appreciate your consideration.

Respectfully submitted,

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